

Agenda for Week of: Jan 10, 2010

Classroom Character Theme: _____

Focus Questions:

- 1) Who should clean up the environment after we dig up resources?
- 2) When is pollution "worth it"?

Date	Objectives	Vocabulary	Homework
Monday 1/10	Determine the winning cookie mining strategy	Economically viable	
Tues 1/11	Compare and contrast different types of mining	Copy vocab from the word wall!	(1) Create a 3-circle Venn Diagram comparing and contrasting 3 mining strategies (2) Miller textbook case studies (pp. 344 and 363-4) and Chapter 3-4 (p. 354-364)
Wed, 1/12	Summarize the pros and cons of several types of mining		Make 3 T-chart for pros and cons of each of 3 mining types
Thurs, 1/13	Prepare the argument for your assigned role in our Town-Hall Meeting		Be prepared to act your role during the town hall debate tomorrow
Fri, 1/14	Present your argument (in character!) and vote in the town hall meeting (both in character and as yourself).		TBD

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

- This class is an Advanced Placement class, which means:
 - you should be doing college-level work
 - you have the potential to earn 3 college credits (1 course) by earning a 3 or higher on the AP test May 2nd.
 - What we cover in 1 year you would cover in 1 semester in college
- The quality of all but 3 projects was not college level.
- I am here and available to help you.
- In this class, similar to college, you need to advocate for yourself:
 - Voice your questions and concerns to me
 - Ask for help
 - Don't give up!